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# IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF OREGON PORTLAND DIVISION

under Seal

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Case No.: 11-CR- 385 - HZ

v.

INDICTMENT 18 U.S.C. § 2423 18 U.S.C. § 1591

RASHAD Q. SANDERS,

Defendant.

**UNDER SEAL** 

#### THE GRAND JURY CHARGES:

### COUNT 1 Transportation of a Minor 18 U.S.C. § 2423(a)

In September 2008, in the District of Oregon and elsewhere, **RASHAD Q. SANDERS**, defendant herein, did knowingly transport "C.K.", a female under the age of 18, in interstate commerce from the State of Minnesota to the State of Oregon, with the intent that "C.K." engage in prostitution, or in any sexual activity for which any person can be charged with a criminal offense. All in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 2423(a).

### COUNT 2 Transportation of a Minor 18 U.S.C. § 2423(a)

In September 2008, in the District of Oregon and elsewhere, **RASHAD Q. SANDERS**, defendant herein, did knowingly transport "D.M.", a female under the age of 18, in interstate commerce from the State of Minnesota to the State of Oregon, with the intent that "D.M." engage in prostitution, or in any sexual activity for which any person can be charged with a criminal offense. All in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 2423(a).

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# COUNT 3 Sex Trafficking of a Minor 18 U.S.C. § 1591(a) and (b)(2)

In September 2008, in the District of Oregon and elsewhere, **RASHAD Q. SANDERS**, defendant herein, did the following acts while knowing, a female "D.M.", had not attained the age of 18 years and would be caused to engage in a commercial sex act:

- (a) Defendant, **RASHAD Q. SANDERS**, did, while in or affecting interstate commerce, recruit, entice, harbor, transport, provide, obtain, by any means, a person known as "D.M."; and
- (b) Defendant, **RASHAD Q. SANDERS**, did benefit, financially or by receiving anything of value, from participation in a venture which engaged in the recruiting, enticing, harboring, transporting, providing, or obtaining a person known as "D.M.".

All in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Sections 1591(a) and (b)(2).

DATED this 28 day of September, 2011.

A TRUE BILL

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